



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0202

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Gouzel KARIMOVA et al.

Application No.: 09/818,939

Filed: March 28, 2001

For: BACTERIAL TWO-HYBRID
SYSTEM FOR PROTEIN

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) Group Art Unit: 1652
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) Examiner: Sheridan Swope
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) Confirmation No.: 9624
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of September 16, 2004. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a ____ month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$ ____ for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

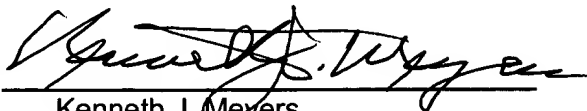
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	34	-	51	0	x \$ 18	\$ 0.00
Indep.	2	-	4	0	x \$ 88	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$300	0.00
Subtotal						\$ 0.00
Reduction by ½ if small entity						- 0.00
TOTAL						\$ 0.00

- ☐ A fee of \$ ____ to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☐ A fee of \$ ____ to cover _____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Other Deposit Declaration signed by Danielle Berneman.

☐ A check for \$_____ to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: November 10, 2004

By: 
Kenneth J. Meyers
Reg. No. 25,146



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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1653
PATENT**

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed September 16, 2004, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims at pages 2-13.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 14.

Attachments to this amendment include a Deposit Declaration.